

**To:** Hart, Daniel[Hart.Daniel@epa.gov]  
**From:** Morin, Jeff  
**Sent:** Wed 8/19/2015 4:23:12 PM  
**Subject:** RE: EOC APPROVED FOR POSTING - Region 6 Sediment data from 8/10-13

Sure... I can CC anyone as needed.

I had been doing only "Reply To All"

Tim, Patti, Sherry & Barry will need to be instructed also whom to CC for what things.

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**From:** Hart, Daniel  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 19, 2015 12:22 PM  
**To:** Morin, Jeff  
**Subject:** RE: EOC APPROVED FOR POSTING - Region 6 Sediment data from 8/10-13

We need to keep Eric Delgado's team in the loop. I'm getting that list of names.

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**From:** Morin, Jeff  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 19, 2015 12:20 PM  
**To:** EOC Public Information; Hart, Daniel  
**Cc:** Cheatham, Reggie; Tulis, Dana; EOC\_Deputy\_Manager;; Cheatham, Reggie; Gray, David;

Grantham, Nancy; Harrison, Melissa

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All - I posted the data at

<http://www2.epa.gov/goldkingmine/gold-king-mine-data-august-19-2015>

Laura, I made one small change to text. The change I made was to replace "pre-incident" with "pre-event." Noted in red text, below.

I can unchanged it if you want. :-)

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**From:** Gentile, Laura On Behalf Of EOC Public Information

**Sent:** Wednesday, August 19, 2015 10:38 AM

**To:** Morin, Jeff; Hart, Daniel

**Cc:** Cheatham, Reggie; Tulis, Dana; EOC\_Deputy\_Manager,; Cheatham, Reggie; EOC Public Information; Gray, David; Grantham, Nancy; Harrison, Melissa

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Jeff, please post the attached data along with the following descriptive language below. Let me know if you have any Qs.

Laura

one-liner for main data page:

EPA sediment samples collected on August 10-13 from nine locations

Longer description:

The EPA sediment samples collected from nine locations on Monday August 10th, Wednesday August 12th, and Thursday, August 13 along the Animas and San Juan Rivers have been validated.

EPA has done a review of the data which included a comparison to screening levels for exposure during recreational use to determine if the metal concentrations are consistent with pre-incident levels.

The metal concentrations of the samples were below soil/sediment recreational screening levels. Based upon the sediment sampling results, sediment sample concentrations are trending toward pre-event conditions.

Thanks

Laura Gentile

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**From:** Gentile, Laura on behalf of EOC Public Information

**Sent:** Wednesday, August 19, 2015 9:38 AM

**To:** EOC Environmental Unit

**Subject:** Fw: EOC APPROVED FOR POSTING - Region 6 Sediment data from 8/10-13

Terry,

We just got the green light from R6 to post this data. Could you take another look at the description below and let me know if this is accurate?

thanks

laura

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**From:** Gentile, Laura on behalf of EOC Public Information

**Sent:** Tuesday, August 18, 2015 2:34 PM

**To:** Morin, Jeff; Hart, Daniel; Davis, Tim

**Cc:** Gray, David; Grantham, Nancy; EOC Public Information; Tulis, Dana; Cheatham, Reggie

**Subject:** EOC APPROVED FOR POSTING - Region 6 Sediment data from 8/10-13

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The metal concentrations of the samples were below soil/sediment recreational screening levels. Based upon the sediment sampling results, sediment sample concentrations are trending toward pre-event conditions.

Thanks

Laura Gentile

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**From:** Smith, Terry on behalf of EOC Environmental Unit  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 18, 2015 2:12 PM  
**To:** EOC Public Information  
**Subject:** Fw: Region 6 Sediment

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**From:** Smith, Terry on behalf of EOC Environmental Unit  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 18, 2015 12:17 PM  
**To:** EOC Public Information; Atencio, Kathie; Wharton, Steve  
**Cc:** EOC\_Manager,  
**Subject:** Region 6 Sediment

The attached sediment data file has been reviewed and approved. The data is acceptable for posting upon approval of PIOs.

Previous language should suffice with incorporation of the following:

Validated Sediment Samples from 8/10/15, 8/12/15, and 8/13/15

Twenty-one (21) sediment samples were collected from nine locations from Monday August 10th, 2015, Wednesday August 12th, 2015, and Thursday, August 13, 2015, along the Animas and San Juan Rivers.